foundry & forging, sports goods & leisure time equipment, domestic electrical appliances and electronic products.

(ii) Specialised toolrooms for design & development of tools, dies, jigs, fiixtures & hand tools.

(iii) Regional testing centres and field testing stations for assisting in improvement of quality.

Export of products by Public Sector Industrial Units

2918. SHRI K. V. THANGKABALU: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) what are the names of public sector industrial units which are exporting their products and the names of items being exported by these units;

(b) whether Government have asked the public sector units to draw up a long term plan to increase the export of their products; and

(c) if so, what are the details thereof; and the response thereof?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI J. VENGAL RAO): (a) The names of public sector enterprises which are exporting their product and the names of items being exported by them are given in chapter 11 of Volume-I of Public Enterprises Survey 1987-88 placed on the Table of the House on 27th Feb., 1989.

(b) and (c) Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Collaboration with foreign countries to share latest technology

2919. SHRI K. V. THANGKABALU: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether some foreign countries have offered to share their latest technology with India so as to help our country for further development in industrial capabilities;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) what are the specific sectors in which the latst technology is proposed to be shared?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) to (c) Many countries have evinced interest in transfer of technology and many collaborations for transfer of technology in various fields of industry have been plce between the enterprises of our country and those of the foreign countries.

Details of foreign collaboration proposals approved viz., name of the Indian company foreign collaborator, item of manufacture, nature of collaof collaboration are published on a monthly basis by the Indian Investment Centre as a supplement its Monthly News Letter. Copies of these publications are sent sent to the Parliament Library regularly.

The basic principles governing import of technology are that it is permitted only on a selected basis where need has been established for modernisation and upgradation of technologies for industries or where technology does not exist in the country or where the time taken to generate technology indigenously would delay achievement of development targets or for increasing export capability etc.

Approval of projects to increase oil and gas production

2920. SHRI SURESH PACHOURI: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have have approved a number of projects to increase oil and gas production in the country;

(b) if so, what will be the total cost of expenditure involved thereby;

(c) which are the places where these projects are likely to be set up; and

(d) what will be the likely total output of oil and gas production?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI BRAHM DUTT): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) to (d) The details of the projects approved by Government during 7th Plan so far are as under:—

Sl. No.	Name of the Project	Location	Approved cost (Rs. in crores)	Additional Production of oil & gas
1.	Sub-sea completion . .	Bombay High	13.97	10000 BOPD
2.	EPS for Panna field . .	Bombay offshore	61.50	2000 BOPD
3	Development of South Bassein gas field.	,,	246.48	10 MMSCMD of gas
4.	Addl. oil recovery project for Bombay High South.	Bombay High	781.54	53.09 MMT upto the year 2000.
5.	Addl, Development of Bombay High North.	,,	218.12	11.28 MMT in 15 years.

Industrial collaborations between India and West Germany

2921. SHRI SURESH PACHOURI: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Industrial collaborations between India and West Germany companies have been increasing uptil now;

(b) if so, what are the industrial tie-ups with FRG uptisl 1988; and

(c) whether any further steps are being considered for further industrial tie-ups between the two countries; if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) and (b) A statement showing the number of foreign collaborations approved with West Germany during the last five years is appended. (See below). Details of all approved industrial tie-ups showing the names of Indian and foreign firms, item of manufacture, and nature of collaboration are published on a monthly basis by the Indian Investment Centre as a supplement to its monthly News Letter. Copies of this publication are sent regularly to the Parliament Library.

(c) Within the broad framework of foreign collaboration policy, an informal Indo-West German Group set up in the Department of Economic Affairs meets at regular intervals with a view to facilitating greater Indo-West German Co-operation.

Statement

Year wise break-up of Foreign collaboration proposals approved in favour of West German Firms during the period 1984 *to* 1988

Year	Total No. of FC approvals during the year	Total No. of proposals approved during the year with West German tie-up
1984 . . .	752	135
1985 . . .	1024	180
1986 . . .	957	183
1987 . . .	853	149
1988 . . .	926	178